

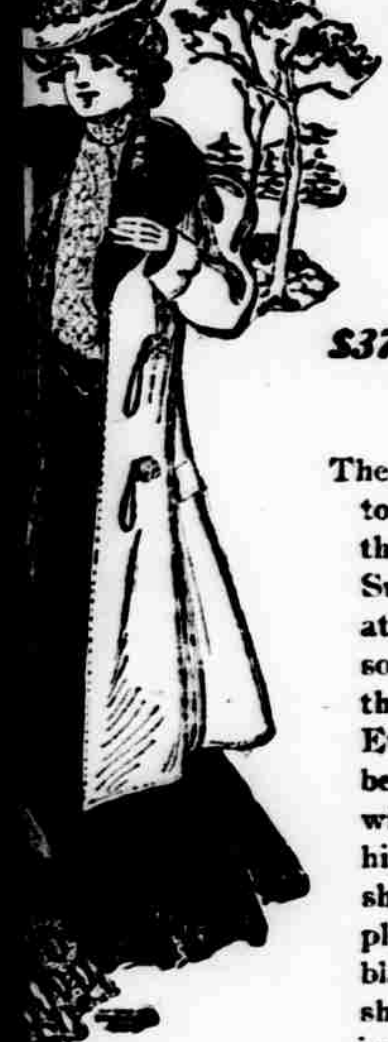
Is at The May Store

Throughout this great store is stocked with the most complete line of goods, and many things are mentioned here that have just the little touch of exclusiveness only twelve days off, you should make it a point to begin your Christmas shopping things to be had to-morrow that later on could not be bought for love or money; remember, keep to right; use moving stairway; it avoids crowding at elevators.

Coat Offer at \$16.50

Consider yourself lucky in waiting. Coats easily worth \$20.00, a few of each of the best-selling styles we have. "Printess" Coats in all the new loose-fitting 50-inch waists and the beautiful Empire styles, made of fine kersey. These garments are all silk lined throughout in light colors; colors black, brown, and blue.

to fit either ladies or for Monday's selling. **16.50**



\$10.00 Sable and Russian Gray Squirrel Stocks \$5.95

These are very jaunty little neck pieces, in a variety of new styles; standing collar and fancy tabs trimmed with buttons; good, sound skins and very dressy; regular \$10.00 values; priced special to-morrow **5.95**

\$37.50 to \$50.00 Swaggar Velvet Street Suits Only \$29.50

There is nothing more appropriate to make your wardrobe complete than one of these swaggar Velvet Suits. They are the correct street attire for cold days, and go handsomely with your furs. We have them in the newest short, jaunty Etons, blouse and bolero effects; beautifully garnished and lined with white silk; the new Princess high bodice belt of silk to match shade of velvet; skirts are full pleated and full flaring; colors black, blue, green, plum and other shades; a few sample garments are included in this lot; \$37.50 to \$50.00 Velvet Suits priced special to-morrow **29.50**

Continues THE MAY CO.

Christmas Presents

with close-rolled steel rods and best frames with case and horn; 26-inch size; **1.98**

\$5.00 AND \$6.00 UMBRELLAS
\$3.25—Men's and Women's
All Pure Silk Umbrellas; best steel rod and frames, beautifully mounted in solid silver, gold, pearl, and carved ivory, in the latest designs and shapes; 26 to 28 inch size. Some of the handles in this lot are worth not less than \$6.00; to-morrow, **3.25** very special, at only **3.25**

Handkerchiefs Ever Held in St. Louis Begins Monday.
MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS 10c—Plain white all-linen Handkerchiefs with 1/4 and 1/2 inch hem; splendid values, specially priced Monday, each **.10**
MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS 10c—Color bordered Men's Handkerchiefs for fancy work; also a special line of bordered Handkerchiefs with real neat borders, priced special to-morrow **.10**

Toyville Monday
Cars 75c
Arny Oldfield Mechanical Racing
Model—8 1/2 inches long; nicely lithographed, with two passengers; rubber tires; exactly like Toyville, only **75 cents.**

BOBBY DOLLS 50c—These dolls are pretty faces, movable eyes, good heads, movable arms and legs, very dependable, regular 50c, priced special Monday at **.69**
BOBBY DOLLS 50c—Dolls with heads, movable eyes, good heads, movable arms and legs, very dependable, regular 50c, priced special Monday at **.98**

St. Louis' Greatest Retail Store.

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Washington Ave. and Sixth Street.

Hosiery Specials

WOMEN'S LACE HOSE 50c—Lace, Thread, in colors to match the gown; navy, Havana, crimson, beige and cream; all-embroidered hand work; half way the stocking; regular 50c and 55c values; priced special Monday **.35**
WOMEN'S SILK HOSE 50c—Black silk hose with high-grade hand silk embroidery, in magnificent floral designs; very choice pattern; regular 55c values; priced, a pair, to-morrow **2.50**
WOMEN'S CASHMERE HOSE 75c—Pure Cashmere hose; imported English Goods; full regular made; double sole and merino heels and toes; actual \$1.00 values; priced, a pair, to-morrow **.75**
WOMEN'S LACE HOSE 50c—Black Lisle hose, with hand-work embroidery floral patterns and small scroll figures and dots; full fashioned; regular 50c values; priced, a pair, to-morrow **.50**
WOMEN'S LACE HOSE 50c—Lisle, Thread and fine Cotton Hosiery; mostly all black Rembrandt; ribbed; some few sizes with silk foot; 50c and 55c values; to-morrow, a pair, to-morrow **.25**
First Floor—Main Floor.

Kid Gloves for Xmas.

LADIES' Extra Fine Quality French Kid Gloves, pique sewn, with beautiful two-toned embroidered backs; finished at the wrist with two large pearl clasps; these are the most perfect-fitting gloves made; a nice glove box with every pair; this makes an exceptional and appropriate Christmas gift; price, the pair, to-morrow **2.00**
LADIES' KID GLOVES \$1.50—Ladies' Two-Clasp Extra Quality Real French Kid Gloves, in all the stylish fall shades, including white and black; we fit and guarantee every pair we sell; a very attractive box given with every pair of these gloves; the price to-morrow will be, the pair **1.50**
First Floor—Near Main Entrance.

What to Give for Xmas

If you wish to make a present, and one that will be greatly appreciated, buy a "May" Gift Certificate. No matter how much or how small an amount you wish to spend, these Certificates can be issued for that sum. In giving these Certificates to a person, it enables him or her to select such articles as they like best.

Opera Glasses

\$10.00 OPERA GLASSES 7.50—Pearl Opera Glasses with heavy gold-plated barrel; also pretty handle; in plush outer bag; **7.50**
OPERA GLASSES \$4.50—Pearl, white and Oriental; heavy gold-plated tubes, including case; specially priced Monday, pair **4.50**

Silks for Christmas.

KIMONO SILK 50c—32-inch Fancy Kimono Silk, in light and dark grounds, large designs, beautiful new patterns, very acceptable for gift purposes. This silk will launder. Our 89c quality, at **.59**
PEAU DE CYGNE 60c—18-inch Colored Peau de Cygne, and is every wanted color for street and evening wear; a very fine silk with a very high luster; actual 65c value; to-morrow at **.69**
BLACK PEAU DE SOIE \$1.10—A limited quantity of fine all-silk 20 inch Black Peau de Soie; worth \$1.25 a yard. Specially priced to-morrow, per yard **1.10**
BLACK PEAU DE SOIE \$1.00—Double-face Black Peau de Soie, made of the finest Italian silk. This special quality was bought by us from a manufacturer who wished to close out this number. It's a regular \$1.25 value; to-morrow, a yard **1.00**
First Floor—Main Floor.

Leather Goods.

VANITY BAGS \$1.00—Leather Vanity Bags; double back and front, 2 compartments, and fitted with a large purse; handle or strapped bag; Monday at **1.00**
COLLAR AND CUFF BOXES \$1.00—Decorated celluloid very large size Collar and Cuff Boxes, satin lined; as usual, a nice Christmas present; to-morrow **1.00**
HAND BAGS 4.95—Genuine Walrus Hand Bags; extra large 10-11 inch frame, nicely fitted; a most serviceable bag, which is sold at all times at \$5.95; Monday **4.95**
BEADED PURSES \$1.00—Round snap-top beaded purses; made of genuine leather and beaded; color; choice Monday **1.00**
PURSES 25c—Small Silk Purse, decorated with silk embroidery; a nice Christmas present at a small cost; 50c value **25c**

Xmas Fans

FANS 90c—Silver-spangled and silk charming Lace Fans; Houton brand effects; spangled initial stick; a splendid Fan for the money, only **.98**
BLACK SILK FANS 60c—Black silk square Fans; heavily spangled in silver butterfly effects; initial stick; a very handsome Fan, specially priced Monday **.425**
60c FANS 60c—White Lace Silk Fans, painted and spangled in silver; embroidered wood sticks; regular \$1.25; Fans, Monday **.60**
60c FANS 60c—White Silk Mouseline Fans, charming lace trimmed, silver-spangled; initial stick; regular \$1.00; value; special, to-morrow **.60**
60c FANS 60c—White Silk Mouseline Fans, beautifully painted with spray of violets and spangled with gold and silver; carved ivory handles; actual \$1.00; Fans, for sale Monday **.450**
60c FANS 60c—Black silk square and pointed Fans; also white lace-trimmed Fans; with carved wood sticks; regular \$1.00 value; on sale at **2.50**
60c FANS 60c—Gold and silver spangled silk mouseline Fans; in new styles, heavily spangled; carved ivory and initial sticks; regular \$1.00; Fans; on sale at **3.25**
60c FANS 60c—Solid white silk lace Fans; heavily spangled in silver; carved and initial ivory sticks; regular \$1.00 value; to-morrow at **3.85**
WHITE SILK FANS 60c—White silk mouseline Fans, with white lace medallions; spangled in silver; ivory sticks; to-morrow **1.25**

Xmas Needlework

LOVE AND HANDKERCHIEF BOXES, 25c—They're made of China silk, in blue, pink, lavender and cardinal, with hand-painted celluloid covers. These boxes will make an appropriate gift and at the same time are inexpensive. Priced to-morrow **.25**
GLOVE CASES 50c—Glove Cases, made of imported floral silk, trimmed with cord and silk lined; very pretty cases. Priced special to-morrow **.50**
PIN CUSHIONS—Satin covered, lace and ribbon trimmed, square and oblong shapes; some exquisite things—ranging in price from 25c up to **25.00**
RENAISSANCE SQUARES—12-inch Renaissance Squares with linen centers; four patterns to select from; in all handwork designs. Choice Monday, each **.25**
Same Squares, 18 inches, at 50c; the 24 inch size at **1.00**
RENAISSANCE SCARFS 2.00—Dresser Scarfs, size 18x54; very pretty patterns, extra good values. Specially priced to-morrow **2.00**
SEWING BAGS AT ONLY 50c—Sewing and Handkerchief Bags; also Laundry Bags; made of art ticking and crepe; good, big bags; made for service, and only **.50**
PILLOWS 95c—Satin-top Pillows, filled with silk floss in 15 distinct designs; in various colors to select from; \$1.50 values. To-morrow **.95**
DRESSER SCARFS 95c—Table Scarfs, Pillow Shams and Table Squares, in cut-out work and embroidered, with scalloped embroidered edge; beautiful designs; in the regular \$1.50 to \$2.00 values. Monday at only **.95**
DOYLIES AT ONLY 10c—We will place on sale to-morrow 1200 Ten-inch Doilies, with six-inch hand-drawn centers and six wheels; also all sizes; regular 20c values. In this sale at only **10c**

SOCIAL SIDE OF NEW GOVERNMENT

Many Brilliant Women Come Into Prominence With Campbell-Bannerman Regime.
WEALTHY LIBERAL LEADERS.

Liberal Entertaining Will Recover Much of Solid Magnificence That Characterized It in Days of Old-Fashioned Whiggism.

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BRILLIANT HOSTESSES.
No single commanding personality will overshadow the dinner or more notable women who will essay the role of Liberal hostesses. There are many hostesses of almost equal political importance, and with a few exceptions, certain women will be in the hands of the younger generation.

The leading Liberals are men of wealth and social position, and while the new Premier will find he has not a single duchess among his following for the high office of Minister of the Interior, which has been filled by the Duchess of Buccleugh during the recent Tory administration, he will have many clever society women of lower rank, but of almost equal social importance.

The Countess of Crew, a personal friend of the Queen, will probably be made Mistress of the Robes, as the daughter of a Liberal, and the Premier and the new Earl of the most pronounced Liberal views. Lady Crew is a political as well as a social potentate, and her influence, immensely wealthy, so there can be little doubt that Lady Crew will take her place among the foremost Liberal hostesses and will become one of the social headquarters of official liberalism.

As wife of the Liberal Premier, who is a man of great social position, and the best of the new Liberal hostesses, Lady Campbell-Bannerman will be called on to do a certain amount of official entertaining.

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